LOOKING AHEAD

Sun., Feb. 21	11:00 am	Worship Service over Zoom only
Sun., Feb. 28	11:00 am	Worship Service over Zoom only
Sun. March 7	11:00 am	Worship Service over Zoom only

BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

The Camp Valaqua Annual Fundraiser will be held over Zoom on Saturday, March 6 from 7:00 - 8:30 pm. This event will be based on the TV game show, *Family Feud*. Sign up with a group of people or as an individual and you will be placed on a team. For more information and to sign up, contact: kbstoesz@gmail.com.

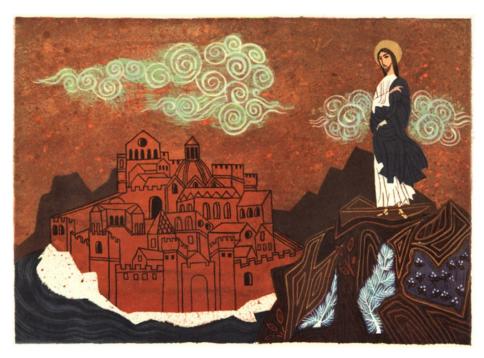
MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

The Calgary MCC Thrift Shop is looking for a full-time Furniture Manager, starting on March 1. Salary & benefits. Go to: mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings for more information.

Are you between the ages of 18 - 30? Are you looking to be challenged and to learn, serve, and grow in your faith? MCC is seeking applicants for the Serving and Learning Together (SALT) program to serve for 11 months in a variety of assignments in Latin America, Africa, Asia, and the Middle East! For more information or to apply, visit: mcccanada.ca/salt. In all our service placements, MCC is assessing the impacts of COVID-19 and adapting as needed, and this includes SALT. The safety of our staff, partners, and local communities is of utmost importance and we are carefully monitoring the situation and adapting as conditions change. In some cases, this means adjusted living accommodations or adapting assignments to be COVID-19 safe. If you are selected for a position, we will work with you and our local partners and communities to foster a safe and healthy assignment.



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021



Artwork by Alice and Martin Provensen from The Golden Bible: The New Testament

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FEBRUARY 21, 2021

WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM ZOOM ONLY

Welcome and Announcements	
Lighting the Candle	
Call to Worship	
Invocational Prayer	
Hymns	There is a place of quiet rest (HWB #5) Spirit of the living God (HWB #349)
Children's Feature	Christine Hansplant
Scripture	Mark 1: 9 - 15 Ellie Janz
Message	Pastor Caleb Kowalko
Prayer of Confession and Assurance	
Hymn	Will you come and follow me (STJ #39) (Words and music on screen)
Sharing our Joys & Concerns	
Prayers of the People	
Hymn	We are people of God's peace (HWB #407)
Benediction	

Worship Leader: Moni Janssen Song Selector: Elsie Wiebe

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

This Prayer item has been redacted.
Please contact Pastor Caleb for more information.

MENNONITE CHURCH ALBERTA (MCA)

MCA Annual Delegate Sessions will be held via Zoom on March 20. Each congregation is entitled to send one delegate per 15 members (or part thereof). Please contact Pastor Caleb, no later than March 12, if you wish to be a delegate. The Zoom link will be emailed to those registered in advance of delegate sessions. Rather than workshops, a variety of pre-session events have been scheduled. These Saturday events are open to anyone interested in learning more about the ministries we share. Go to: www.mcab.ca to register.

February 27 Rosthern Junior College (RJC) at 10:00 am
February 27 MCA Executive at 1:30 pm
March 6 Mission & Service at 10:00 am
March 6 Constitution and Bylaws at 11:00 am
March 13 Camp Valaqua at 10:00 am
March 13 Canadian Mennonite University (CMU) at 11:00 am

CANADIAN MENNONITE UNIVERSITY (CMU)

Join us for Face2Face: Who Cares? The Elderly Among Us. COVID-19 has exposed cracks in our systems of care, and shed light on our understandings of aging, revealing how we value older adults in our communities. Be part of a critically important conversation involving the Director of a Personal Care Home, two Indigenous Elders, and two seniors as they open new insights on realities faced by seniors in our communities and churches. Wednesday, February 24 from 7:00 – 8:30 pm (CST). For more information, go to: www.cmu.ca/face2face.

CMU's Xplore 55+ Enrichment Program offers courses exploring dimensions of the Christian faith, our world, and life in it – all without assignments or exams! Eight online courses are offered on Wednesday mornings from March 3 – April 7 and include a rich array of options in Christian worship, biblical spirituality, Christian faith and Indigenous spirituality, the Book of Revelation, Old Testament Prophets, the power of music (from Bach to the Beatles), Abrahamic faiths in dialogue, and the witness of Dietrich Bonhoeffer. Go to: www.cmu.ca/xplore for more information.